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## §712.1 Round to zero rule that applies to activities involving Schedule 1 chemicals.

(a) See §711.6 of this subchapter for information on obtaining the forms you will need to declare and report activities involving Schedule 1 chemicals.

(b) Facilities that produce, export or import mixtures containing less than 0.5% aggregate quantities of Schedule 1 chemicals as unavoidable by-products or impurities may round to zero and are not subject to the provisions of this part 712. Schedule 1 content may be calculated by volume or weight, whichever yields the lesser percent. Note that such mixtures may be subject to regulatory requirements of other federal agencies.

## §712.2 Prohibitions involving imports of Schedule 1 chemicals.

- (a) You may not import any Schedule 1 chemical unless:
  - (1) The import is from a State Party;
- (2) The import is for research, medical, pharmaceutical, or protective purposes;

- (3) The import is in types and quantities strictly limited to those that can be justified for such purposes; and
- (4) You have notified BIS 45 calendar days prior to the import pursuant to §712.5.
- (b) (1) The provisions of paragraph (a) of this section do not apply to the retention, ownership, possession, transfer, or receipt of a Schedule 1 chemical by a department, agency, or other entity of the United States, or by a person described in paragraph (b) (2) of this section, pending destruction of the Schedule 1 chemical;
- (2) A person referred to in paragraph (b)(1) of this section is:
- (i) Any person, including a member of the Armed Forces of the United States, who is authorized by law or by an appropriate officer of the United States to retain, own, possess transfer, or receive the Schedule 1 chemical; or
- (ii) In an emergency situation, any otherwise non-culpable person if the person is attempting to seize or destroy the Schedule 1 chemical.

NOTE TO §712.2: For specific provisions relating to the prior notification of exports of all Schedule 1 chemicals, see §742.18 of the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) (15 CFR parts 730 through 799). For specific provisions relating to license requirements for exports of Schedule 1 chemicals, see §742.2 and 742.18 of the EAR for Schedule 1 chemicals subject to the jurisdiction of the Department of Commerce and see the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (22 CFR parts 120 through 130) for Schedule 1 chemicals subject to the jurisdiction of the Department of State.

## §712.3 Initial and annual declaration requirements for facilities engaged in the production of Schedule 1 chemicals for purposes not prohibited by the CWC.

(a) Declaration requirements—(1) Initial declaration. You must complete the forms specified in paragraph (b)(1) of this section, providing a current technical description of your facility or its relevant parts, if you produced Schedule 1 chemicals at your facility in excess of 100 grams aggregate in any one of the calendar years 1997, 1998, or 1999. Note: Do not include production data in your initial declaration. Such information should be included in your annual declaration on past activities. See paragraph (a)(2) of this section.